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For : HUMAN CYTOKINE RECEPTOR

Examiner : Jessica H. Roark, Ph.D.

Art Unit : 1644

Docket No.: 99-93

Date : September 24, 2003

Box Fee Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 24, 2003, within 6 months, the present amendment is accompanied by a request for a 3 month extension of time, pursuant to MPEP 710.02(e), and 37 CFR §1.7, extending the period of response from June 24, 2003 to September 24, 2003. Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the following amendments and remarks, and allowance of the case.